

NOVEMBER 2, 2004 ELECTION
PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY

DRAINAGE DISTRICT NO. 4 PROPOSITION
(RENEWAL OF MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION TAX)

SUMMARY: FOR A FIVE YEAR TERM, THE RENEWAL OF A MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION TAX OF NOT MORE THAN \$96.00 FOR EACH 10,000 SQUARE FEET OF EACH LOT AND PARCEL OWNED WITH A MINIMUM TAX OF \$96.00 ON EACH LOT OR PARCEL OWNED FOR PROVIDING FUNDS FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF THE LEVEE SYSTEM, PUMPING STATION, PUMPS, HOLDING PONDS, CONSTRUCTION OF PUMPING STATIONS, AND ACQUISITION OF LAND THEREFOR, AND THE OPERATION OF THE DISTRICT INCLUDING COSTS OF THE PUMPING STATION OPERATION STAFF, SALARIES OF OFFICE STAFF, UTILITIES AND FUELS, PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT NECESSARY FOR THE MAINTENANCE OR OPERATION OF THE DISTRICT, CONTRACT SERVICES, INSURANCE, AND PERSONNEL, AND OTHER MATTERS RELATED THERETO OR CALLED FOR BY LAW.

Shall Drainage District No. 4 of the Parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana (the "District"), be authorized to renew the levy of a maintenance and operation tax for a five year term, subject to renewal for five year terms by special election, on each landowner of record within the District of not more than \$96.00 for each 10,000 square feet of each lot and parcel owned, such that the minimum tax on each lot or parcel is equal to that amount which would be levied on the first 10,000 square feet for the maintenance of the levee system, pumping station, pumps, holding ponds, construction of pumping stations and acquisition of land therefore, and the operation of the District including costs of the pumping station operation staff, salaries of office staff, utilities and fuels, purchase of equipment necessary for the maintenance or operation of the District, contract services, insurance, and personnel, and other matters related thereto or called for by law?